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"The Blood is the Life"

Science has never gone beyond the above simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which suffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgment are affected, and many an evil deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity of the blood. Pure, impure blood can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It purifies and purifies the blood thereby ridding, pimples, blotches, eruptions and other cutaneous affections, as eczema, tetter, or salt-rheum, hives and other manifestations of impure blood.

In the cure of scrofulous swellings, enlarged glands, open eating ulcers, or old sores, the "Golden Medical Discovery" has performed the most marvelous cures. In cases of old sores, or open eating ulcers, it is well to apply to the open sores Dr. Pierce's All-Healing Salve, which possesses wonderful healing potency when used as an application to the sores in conjunction with the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" as a blood cleansing constitutional treatment. If your druggist don't happen to have the "All-Healing Salve" in stock, you can easily procure it by enclosing fifty-four cents in postage stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, 663 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y., and it will come to you by return post. Most druggists keep it as well as the "Golden Medical Discovery."

You can't afford to accept any medicine of unknown composition as a substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery," which is a medicine of known composition, having a complete list of ingredients in plain English on its bottle wrapper, the same being attested as correct under oath. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels.

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BANKING BILL.

Examination of banks is embodied in the Williams bill reported favorably on Thursday by the joint committee on insurance and banking of the two houses of the legislature. After long deliberation by the joint committee and by the subcommittee, the report of the latter was adopted on Thursday afternoon subject to formal ratification later when some incidental amendment, offered by Geo. Bryan, attorney for the State Bankers' Association, have been incorporated into the present draft.

Among the new features of the proposed act are: No loan shall be made by a bank or other financial institution to a stockholder on his stock as security, unless his shares have been fully paid for in cash. No dividends or profits of a higher rate than 6 per cent. per annum on the capital stock paid in shall be declared until the bank shall have a surplus or contingent fund arising from its profits of at least 10 per cent. of its capital, nor shall any dividend or profit be made by which such fund is reduced below the said 10 per cent. The act provision raises the per cent. of the required surplus to 10 instead of 5 per cent.

Under the old law a financial institution was given thirty days in which to make the report required by the State Corporation Commission. The new law cuts the time down to fifteen days. A special examination of any financial institution may be had upon the application of stockholders representing two-fifths of the capital stock. Now only one-fifth is required.

The regular examination is to be ordered not less than once in each and every year by the State Corporation Commission. Examinations may be ordered, however, whenever the commission deems it necessary. Full access must be given to the examiner to all the money, books, papers, notes, bills and other evidences of indebtedness due the institution. The officers are required to state truly all information desired by the examiner, and he may take evidence under oath from them.

No previous notice of the examination is to be given to the institution or any one connected with them. If the examination reveals a failure to observe the banking laws or irregularities, or that the capital has been used in violation of the law, or that the institution is in danger of being impaired, immediate notice is given to the institution. If after thirty days from the time of notice the defects are not corrected the commission may apply for a receiver to take charge of and wind up such institution. In case the commission finds that any institution designated as a state depository is insolvent and unable to meet the demands upon it, the commission may notify the auditor and treasurer of the commonwealth, who must discontinue deposit of state funds, and take such action as may be necessary to protect the state deposits already made in such institution.

Examiners and clerical assistance for their work are to be appointed by the State Corporation Commission. The examiners are to be chosen from the state, "exp. rience and skill in the science of bookkeeping, and shall have had at least five years' service in some bank." They must give bond in penalty of \$5,000, the premium on the bond being paid out of the fund raised from the fees charged banks for their examination. The commission will fix the salaries. All expenses are to be paid out of the fund created by the receipt of examination fees from the banks.

The fees to be paid by the institutions examined are on the following scale: For banks having a capital, surplus fund and undivided profit of \$100,000 or less, \$30; more than \$100,000 and not over \$200,000, \$45; more than \$200,000 and not over \$300,000, \$60; more than \$300,000 and not over \$400,000, \$80; more than \$400,000 and not more than \$500,000, \$100; over \$500,000, \$150. All fees so assessed shall be a lien on the assets of the bank, and if not paid in thirty days after notice, may be recovered in a civil suit.

Failure to furnish the commission a statement as required or to comply with the demands made by the State Corporation Commission under the act subjects the institution violating to a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$1,000. Any officer failing to give the information the examiner is to be fined not less than \$25 nor more than \$100. A knowingly false statement of the condition of such a financial institution by an officer makes him a felon, and, upon conviction, he is to be fined not less than \$100 nor more than \$5,000, and be imprisoned in the penitentiary not less than one nor more than ten years.

Branch banks will pay a small sum for their examination.

WANTED TO WED A VANDERBILT.

During the trial in Paris on Thursday of the old suit brought by Mlle. Wilhelmina Kemper, who claims that she was victimized out of \$97,000, which sum was to have been used to finance the matrimonial projects of Prince Victor of Thurn and Taxis, Count Beard testified that at

AWFUL PAINS FULLY DESCRIBED

A Lady of Pizarro Tells Story of Awful Suffering That Cardui Finally Relieved.

Pizarro, Va.—"I suffered for several years," writes Mrs. Dorna A. Smith, "with that awful backache and the bearing down sensations, so fully described in your book."

"I tried doctors and other medicines and found little relief, until I was induced to try Wine of Cardui, when I found instant relief and today I can heartily recommend Cardui to all suffering women and think there is no other as good."

In some instances, Cardui gives instant relief; in others, it may take a little time. But in all cases of female trouble Cardui can be depended on to be of benefit, as it is a specific remedy for women and acts in a curative way on the womanly organs.

As a general tonic for women, to build up your strength, improve your appetite, bring back rosy cheeks and make you look and feel young and happy, nothing you can find will do so much for you as Cardui.

Your druggist has it.

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one time negotiations were in progress for the hand of Miss Vanderbilt, but that the suit failed and the price carried off an American dancer.

A dozen witnesses identified the English Countess Clare, who acted as intermediary between the Prince and Mlle. Kemper, as the woman who once kept a perfume shop in the Rue Laiz and failed in 1900 for \$160,000. Countess Clare, to prove an alibi, produced a travel document showing her presence in Maitland, Pa., in the year in which she is alleged to have gone into bankruptcy.

The fact that the attorneys for Mrs. John Jacob Astor have not applied for a confirmation of the interlocutory decree of divorce granted by Justice Mills, of New York, has given rise to a report that the couple may be reconciled.

Fifty years' experience of an Old Nurse. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is the prescription of one of the best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and has been used for fifty years with never-failing success by millions of mothers for their children. It relieves the child from pain, cures diarrhea, griping in the bowels, and wind colic. By giving health to the child it rests the mother. Twenty-five cent a bottle.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the Alexandria, Va., postoffice up to February 12, 1910:

Bishop, Warner; Brown, Henry; Bryant, M. L.; Bullock, Miss; Carter, Jennie; Cooke, Mr. & Mrs. W. F.; Diggs, W. H.; Dole, Charles; Douglas, S. F.; Ellis, Mrs. John; Foster, Joe B. & Bro.; Freeman, Robert; German, Mr. & Mrs. R. H.; Herber, B. A.; Heston, Mrs. Harriet E.; Johnson, Parish; Johnson, Mrs. Hester; Johnson, Mrs. Lott; Lew's, Prof. Henry W.; Nat'l City Fire Ins. Co.; Padgett, E. E.; Park, Fred; Payne, Mrs. Sara; Payne, Fred; Piffard, Margaret; Reed, Mrs. J. W.; Shields, E.; Sharp, Mrs. Mary; Smith, Mrs. S. E.; Stewart, Clarence; Taylor, Mrs. Lucy; Walton, Rebecca; Wilson, Mrs. Lott; Wilson, Mrs. Lott.

PACKAGES.

Arnold, Mrs. Laura; Fedley, Audonia; Lane, R. H.; Loveloy, Marcus (2); Newman, E. L.; Reed, W. B.; Rein, Mrs. Jno. M.; Roate, M.; Weidenman, Jos. West, R. E.

THOMAS BURROUGHS, P. M.

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King and Peyton Sts., Alexandria, Va.

Small orders delivered 10 to 12 a. m. and 5 p. m. 1, 2 and full cord orders delivered at once. Deliveries in Rosemont, Braddock and Del Ray daily.

PHONES: Bell 217, Home 141 W. and 233 M.

Clearance Sale.

We must have room for spring stock.

A few

Iron Folding Go-carts

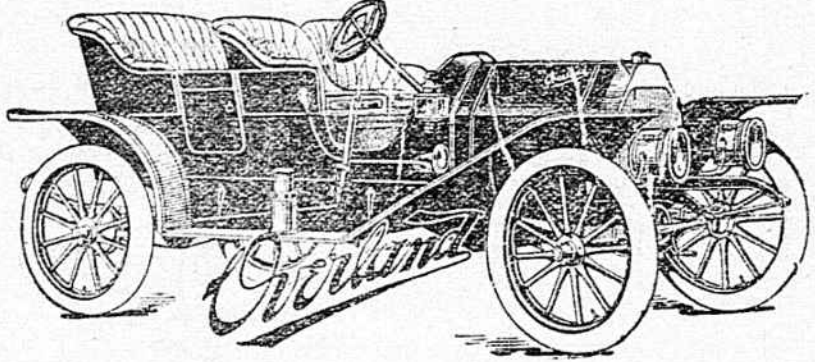
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Lamps and Pictures at half price.

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We are Showing Excellent Values in Long Cloths and Nainsooks

In Pieces of Twelve Yards.

12 yard piece long cloth	\$1.10
12 yard piece long cloth	\$1.50
12 yard piece long cloth	\$1.75
12 yard piece long cloth	\$2.25
12 yard piece long cloth	\$2.60
12 yard piece Nainsook	\$1.50
12 yard piece Nainsook	\$1.75
12 yard piece Nainsook	\$2.25
12 yard piece Nainsook	\$2.60
12 yard piece Nainsook	\$3.60



Silver BEAUTY That LASTS

is the only kind worth having. See our silver tea sets and you will have to acknowledge their beauty and fine design. Use one and years from now the beauty will still be there to make you just as proud of it as the day you bought it. Relish silver as well as jewelry as the only kind we keep.

We have 5-piece Sets from \$14 up. Cream and Sugar Sets from \$4 up. Syrup Pitchers, Butter Dishes, Chafing Dishes, Casseroles, Bean Pots, &c., at reasonable prices.

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